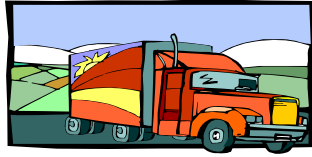


The Commodity Shelf

Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, School Food Services Section

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Don't Forget

- FDA (Food Distribution Associates) will resume deliveries August 1st 2008. Make sure you have adequate staff to assist in unloading the truck.
- If you are not the Authorized Representative for the National School Lunch Program and you would like to receive information from the State Agency (SA) via E-mail, we need you to enter your current E-mail address on your LEA's Application Agreement for school year 2008-2009. Currently only the Authorized Representative is required to enter an E-mail address, but there is a space for an E-mail address for the food service director. Entering your E-mail address will allow the SA to send the Authorized Representative **and** the food service director the Commodity Shelf and other valuable information.

NEWS FLASH



- USDA Food and Nutrition Service – Food Distribution Division has finished a complete redesign of USDA's commodity labels for canned fruits and vegetables, updating them to look more like their commercial counterparts. Look for these new designs to begin to appear on fruits and vegetables in the fall of 2008.
- Lower sodium amounts in canned tomato products (sauce, paste and salsa) as well as canned dried beans will be available for school year 2008-2009. These products have been reduced to a sodium level of 140 mg per serving, which makes the products more in line with the 2005 Dietary Guidelines for Americans.
- USDA Commodity Food Network has a new image. Check out the Website (<http://www.commodityfoods.usda.gov/>) for links to information concerning the USDA Commodity Food Programs.



Prorated Commodities

Following is a listing of PRORATED entitlement and bonus commodity items expected to be available for the 2008-2009 school year. These items are prorated based upon your ADP. **If you wish to refuse all, or any part of your allocation, your Authorized Representative must notify our office in writing at least 6 weeks in advance of the estimated delivery period.** These commodities are for use in authorized feeding programs only. Commodities, amounts, and delivery dates are subject to change.

<u>FRUITS AND VEGETABLES</u>	<u>Pack Size</u>	<u>Estimated Delivery Period</u>	<u>Estimated Value</u>
Strawberries, frozen (51)	96/4.5 oz case	Start Aug. 1 – Complete Sept. 15	\$25.98
Green Beans, canned (62)	6/#10 lb case	Start Sept. 15 – Complete Oct. 31	\$12.05
Potato Wedges, frozen (43)	6/5 lb case	Start Sept. 15 - Complete Oct. 31	\$14.59
Peach Cups, frozen (41)	96/4.4 oz cups	Start Feb. 15 – Complete Mar. 30	\$20.96
Pears, Sliced, canned (52)	6/#10 case	Start Oct. 15 – Complete Nov. 30	\$18.42
Potato Rounds, frozen (43)	6/5 lb case	Start Nov. 15 – Complete Dec. 31	\$12.96
Beans, Refried, canned (55)	6/#10 case	Start Dec. 1 – Complete Jan. 31	\$14.14
Beans, Pinto, canned (55)	6/#10 case	Start Dec. 15 - Complete Jan. 31	\$11.90
Corn, frozen (43)	30 lb case	Start Dec. 15 – Complete Jan.15	\$12.64
Peaches, Cling, Sliced (52)	6/#10 case	Start Jan. 1 – Complete Feb. 15	\$18.42
Beans, Veg. 10 (55)	6/#10 case	Start Jan. 1 – Complete Feb.15	\$10.68
Potato Oven, frozen (43)	6/5lb case	Start Jan. 1 – Complete Feb. 15	\$13.96
Applesauce 10 (62)	6/#10 case	Start Jan. 1 – Complete Feb. 28	\$13.00
Peaches, Diced, canned (62)	6/#10 case	Start Jan. 1 – Complete Feb. 28	\$17.32
Spaghetti Sauce, canned (60)	6/#10 case	Start Feb. 15 – Complete Mar. 30	\$10.43
Fruit Mix, canned (62)	6/#10 case	Start Dec. 15 – Complete Jan. 30	\$21.90
Pears, Diced, canned (62)	6/#10 case	Start Nov. 1 – Complete Dec. 31	\$17.32

<u>MEAT/MEAT ALTERNATE</u>	<u>Pack Size</u>	<u>Estimated Delivery Period</u>	<u>Estimated Value</u>
Ground Beef (62) (1 st alloc.)*	40 lb case	Start Oct. 1 – Complete Nov. 15	\$61.61
Turkey Roasts (47)	40 lb case	Start Dec. 1 – Complete Jan. 15	\$69.17
Am. Sliced Cheese (52) (1 st alloc.)	6/5 lb loaves	Start Sept. 15 – Complete Oct. 31	\$61.61
Turkey Hams (47)	40 lb case	Start Oct. 1 – Complete Nov. 15	\$55.66
Cut-Up Chicken (17) (1 st alloc.)*	40 lb case	Start Oct. 1 – Complete Nov. 15	\$20.25
Ham, water added (47)	4/10 lb case	Start Oct. 1 – Complete Nov.15	\$61.94
Chicken Diced, frozen (47)	40 lb case	Start Sept. 1 – Complete Oct. 15	\$62.63
Ground Beef (62) (2 nd alloc.)*	40 lb case	Start Jan. 1 – Complete Feb. 15	\$61.61
Cut-Up Chicken (17) (2 nd alloc.)*	40 lb case	Start Jan. 1 – Complete Feb. 15	\$20.25
Am. Sliced Cheese (52) (2 nd alloc.)	6/5 lb loaves	Start Feb. 1 – Complete Mar. 15	\$61.61
Ground Beef (62) (3 rd alloc.)*make-up	40 lb case	Start Mar. 1 – Complete April 15	\$61.61

The number shown in parenthesis for the above products indicates your LEA will receive approximately one (1) case of that product per that number of Average Daily Participants (ADP).

Example: *Strawberries, frozen (51)*

If you have an ADP of 102 you can expect to receive 2 cases of Strawberries, frozen $102 \div 51 = 2$ cases

* If you had 25%, 50%, etc. of this product processed, adjust your ADP accordingly when calculating allocation rates.
If you had 100% of this product processed, you will not receive any.